

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 IO-14 ISO-00 STRE-00 AGRE-00 CEA-01  
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COMMERCE:SCRAVEN  
EB/GCP:JSLATTERY  
TREASURY:JRAY

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO USMISSION GENEVA PRIORITY  
INFO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, GATT

SUBJECT: GATT: ISRAEL'S REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SPECIFIC  
DUTY ADJUSTMENTS

REFERENCE: TEL AVIV 2339

1. CPS' RESPONSE TO SUBJECT REQUEST COULD ESTABLISH PRE-  
CEDENT FOR POSSIBLE USE OF ARTICLE II: 6 (A) PROVISIONS  
IN ERA OF FLOATING CURRENCIES. FOR THIS REASON WE ARE  
EXAMINING REQUEST WITH PARTICULAR CARE.

2. PLEASE DISCUSS THIS QUESTION WITH SECRETARIAT AND  
OTHER DELS AND CABLE RECOMMENDATIONS. WE ARE ALREADY  
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FAMILIAR WITH FRIEDER ROESSLER'S "SPECIFIC DUTIES, INFLA-  
TION AND FLOATING CURRENCIES", WHICH CONTAINS HELPFUL  
ANALYSIS. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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